

an introduction to
the projector

F50
User Manual



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1 Introduction

1.1 Thank you

Thank you for purchasing this projector.

When referring to the term F50 in this document the content is applicable for the following Barco products:

- F50 1080 (1920x1080)
- F50 WUXGA (1920x1200)
- F50 WQXGA (2560x1600)
- F50 Panorama (2560x1080)

The F50 series projectors set an industry benchmark for projectors in its size and performance category. If realism and reliability are key criteria this high resolution DLP-technology projector with high performance optics and lenses, updated signal processing and built-in frame-lock synchronisation, makes it the ideal projector for multi-channel visualization and simulation applications. In addition to the excellent image performance it is capable of showing Active Stereo 3D.

1.2 Training

To get the best performance out of the projector as well as the system, training at Barco is highly advised, in addition to studying this user guide. Various courses are available. At the University, skilled trainers will teach you basic projector use as well as more advanced set-up and configuration across multiple application areas. Go to www.barco.com for easy access to more information.

1.3 Symbols used in this documentation



WARNING: Used to point out potential danger to people or equipment when using the product in certain ways.



NOTE: Used to point out essential handling requirements for the projector. If not acted on, they may cause product malfunctioning.



TIP: Presenting advice which benefits the projector usage or conditions related to projector performance.

The specifications and functionality of this projector may change without prior notice. Pictures/drawings or features in this user guide may be different from your projector depending on model/version.

2 Safety and compliance

2.1 General safety considerations

- Use only the cables and cords supplied with the projector or original replacement cables. Using other cables or cords may lead to malfunction and permanent damage to the unit.
- Always use 3-prong (grounded) power cord to ensure proper grounding of the unit. Never use 2-prong power cords, as this is dangerous and could lead to electrical shock.
- Never open the unit. The projector contains no user serviceable parts. Refer all repairs to qualified personnel only. Make sure that no objects enter into the vents and openings of the set.
- Do not spill any liquids on the projector or into the vents or openings of the unit.
- Always remove lens cap before switching on the projector. If the lens cap is not removed, it may melt due to the high energy light emitted through the lens. Melting the lens cap may permanently damage the surface of the projection lens.
- Do not look into the projection lens when the projector is switched on. The strong light may permanently damage sight.
- Only place the projector on a stable surface, or mount it securely using an approved ceiling-mount.
- Do not drop the projector.
- Always operate the projector according to the rotation guidelines. Operating the unit in other positions may reduce lamp life significantly, and may lead to overheating, resulting in malfunctioning.
- Always allow ample airflow through the projector. Never block any of the air vents. Never cover the unit in any way while running. Allow for sufficient distance to walls and ceilings to avoid overheating.
- Minimum safety distance to any side of the unit is 50cm / 20" in any direction (15 cm/ 6" to ceiling).
- Hot air is exhausted from the rear vent. Do not place objects that are sensitive to heat nearer than 50cm / 20" to the exhaust vent.
- The projector is designed for indoor use only. Never operate the unit outdoors.
- Do not operate the projector outside its temperature and humidity specifications, as this may result in overheating and malfunctioning.
- Only connect the projector to signal sources and voltages as described in the technical specification. Connecting to unspecified signal sources or voltages may lead to malfunction and permanent damage of the unit.
- In order to prevent damage to the projector caused by over-voltages (e.g. lightning), we recommend connection to a line (mains) circuit which has over voltage protection.
- Allow lamp to cool down for at least 60 minutes before changing.
USE ONLY ORIGINAL LAMPS.
- Connecting sources to a powered projector may result in product failure. It is recommended that the power cable connector (projector-end) or the mains power socket is accessible whilst the product is in use to enable mains power to be disconnected or switched off when connecting source devices. This should be considered during product installation.


2.2 Information/Warning - Potential Mercury Vapour Health Issues

This projector uses a very powerful UHP™ lamp for illumination to produce an extremely bright image.

This technology is similar to other high-pressure discharge lamps that are extensively used in cars, street lights and other lighting appliances today. These lamps, like fluorescent lighting, contain small amounts of mercury. The amount of mercury present in a lamp is far below the limits of danger set by the authorities. It is however very important that lamps containing mercury are treated properly to minimize potential health hazards.

The UHP™ lamp, like any other high brightness projector lamp, is operating under high-pressure. Even if the lamp and the projector are carefully designed to minimize the probability of lamp rupture, the lamp may break while operating and small amounts of mercury vapour may be emitted from the projector. The probability of rupture increases when the lamp reaches its expected lifetime. It is therefore highly recommended that the lamp is replaced when the specified lifetime is reached.

As a general precaution, secure good ventilation in the room when operating the projector. If lamp rupture occurs, evacuate the room and secure good ventilation. Children and pregnant women in particular should leave the room.

 When replacing a worn lamp, dispose of the used lamp carefully by proper recycling.

Mercury is a naturally occurring, stable metallic element that may pose a safety risk to people under certain conditions. According to the Public Health Statement for Mercury published by the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (“ATSDR”, part of the United States Public Health Service), the brain, central nervous system and kidneys are sensitive to the effects of mercury, and permanent damage can occur at sufficiently high levels of exposure. Acute exposure to high concentrations of mercury vapour can cause conditions such as lung and airway irritation, tightness in the chest, a burning sensation in the lungs, coughing, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea. Children and fetuses are particularly sensitive to the harmful effects of metallic mercury to the nervous system.

Seek medical attention if any of the above symptoms are experienced or if other unusual conditions are experienced following lamp rupture.



This product contains chemicals, including lead, known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. Recycle properly; do not dispose of in ordinary waste!

2.3 FCC compliance

FCC regulations state that changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible manufacturer could void your authority to operate the equipment.



This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules.

Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- (2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

CANADA

This Class A digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003. / Cet appareil numérique de la classe A est conforme à la norme NMB- 003 du Canada.

2.4 Disposal information

2.4.1 Statement WEEE (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment)



This symbol on the product indicates that, under the European Directive 2012/19/EU governing waste from electrical and electronic equipment, this product must not be disposed of with other municipal waste. Please dispose of your waste equipment by handing it over to a designated collection point for the waste recycling of electrical and electronic equipment. To prevent possible harm to the environment or human health from uncontrolled waste disposal, please separate these items from other types of waste and recycle them responsibly to promote the sustainable reuse of material resources.

For more information about recycling of this product, please contact your local city office or your municipal waste disposal service. For details, please visit the Barco website at: <http://www.barco.com/en/AboutBarco/weee>.

2.4.2 Disposal of batteries in the product



This product contains batteries covered by the European Directive which must be collected and disposed of separately from municipal waste.

If the battery contains more than the specified values of lead (Pb), mercury (Hg) or cadmium (Cd), these chemical symbols will appear below the crossed-out wheeled bin symbol.

By participating in separate collection of batteries, you will help to ensure proper disposal and to prevent potential negative effects on the environment and human health.

2.4.3 Turkey RoHS compliance



Türkiye Cumhuriyeti: AEEE Yönetmeliğine Uygundur.
(Republic of Turkey: In conformity with the WEEE Regulation)

2.5 Service

This product contains no user serviceable parts. If the product fails to function as expected, please first check that all connections are properly made, and that the power cord is properly connected. Please check that the projector as well as the video and computer sources are all switched on. Cables and cords may break over time. Try to change cables and cords, in case there is a bad or intermittent connection. Check if the circuit breaker or mains fuse is intact. In the event of product failure, please contact your reseller. You should prepare a description of the symptoms of failure you experience. Please also state product number and serial number as printed on the label on the bottom or side of the projector.



Service personnel must use UV radiation eye- and skin protection during servicing

3 What is in the box?

The following components are standard delivery:

Projector



Power Cable (Country Dependent)



Remote Control



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Additional accessories available for the projector:

Exhaust air kit (for ceiling mount):

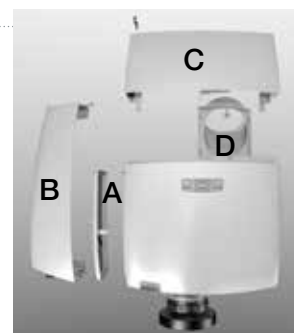
A: Air-inlet filter
(also sold separately)

B: Side cover/Air-inlet

C: Ceiling mount cover/Air-outlet
(also sold separately)

D: Exhaust air duct*

**Flexible hose (2m) with clamp included*



Acoustic silencer kit (for ceiling mount):

B: Side cover/Air-inlet

C: Ceiling mount cover/Air outlet


Check that you have all components listed when unpacking the unit.




Please save packaging materials for future use, should it be necessary to ship the unit.

4 Installation

4.1 System considerations

 **Please refer to Chapter 5 Overview for an explanation on the various features of the projector.**

Installation should only be performed by trained and skilled personnel in order to achieve the desired results.

 **Safety first: Projectors and other equipment that are not mounted properly represent a potential danger to people and may result in injury or death!**

Creating a successful system installation requires proper skills, competencies and knowledge of the particular system requirements. In addition to knowing the expected performance, ambient conditions and all the components that form the complete system, including Image Generation (IG), cabling, control system, screens and projectors.

An installation often consists of multiple projectors, long cables and several IG's, as well as intermediate system components like signal converters and line buffers.

Make sure that:

- IG properties like pixel resolution and frame refresh match those of the projector
- Choice of signal interface and cable lengths match.
 - HDBaseT and 3G-SDI are so called long-haul interfaces, suitable for bespoke installation on the premises using relatively long cables.
 - DP, HDMI, DVI and VGA are all short-haul interfaces using pre-assembled cables with limited cable lengths. Using extended cable lengths may result in reduced image quality as well as loss of control information such as EDID (Extended Display Information Data).
- Signal amplifiers, switches and other components should convey EDID and other control information. However, unfortunately many times EDID data is lost in translation under way, potentially resulting in images of reduced pixel resolution and wrong aspect ratio.

A successful installation takes all relevant parameters into account to achieve great imagery!

4.2 Ventilation



Minimum safety distance to any side of the unit is 50cm / 20" in any direction.

Hot air is exhausted from the rear vent. Do not place objects that are sensitive to heat closer than 50cm / 20" to the exhaust vent.



Figure 4-1. Positioning the projector

When the projector is ceiling mounted using an exhaust air kit* (accessory) the minimum distance between projector and roof is 15cm.

4.2.1 Ventilation accessories

A set of optional accessories is available for this projector, covering anything from cables and lenses to air flow parts and lens control. For information on availability, specifications and pricing, please refer to our web site: www.barco.com

4.3 Ceiling and rig mounting

Use the three mounting holes provided in the bottom part to securely fix the projector to a ceiling or rig mount.

- i** Use M6 screws that protrude maximum 9mm into the projector body.



Figure 4-2. Ceiling/rig mounting mounting holes

4.4 Locking the projector

The projector can be locked physically by using a so called Kensington lock. The Kensington lock hole, where the lock itself is attached, can be found on the back of the projector. Use an approved locking cable to secure the projector to a solid object.

4.5 Projector angle (tilt)

- i** The projector should be tilted maximum +/- 20 degrees from level (flat/ceiling) position. It can be rotated 360 degrees around the lens axis.

! Tilting at higher degrees may reduce lamp life and increase the probability of overheating the projector. Installation outside these specifications can void the guarantee.

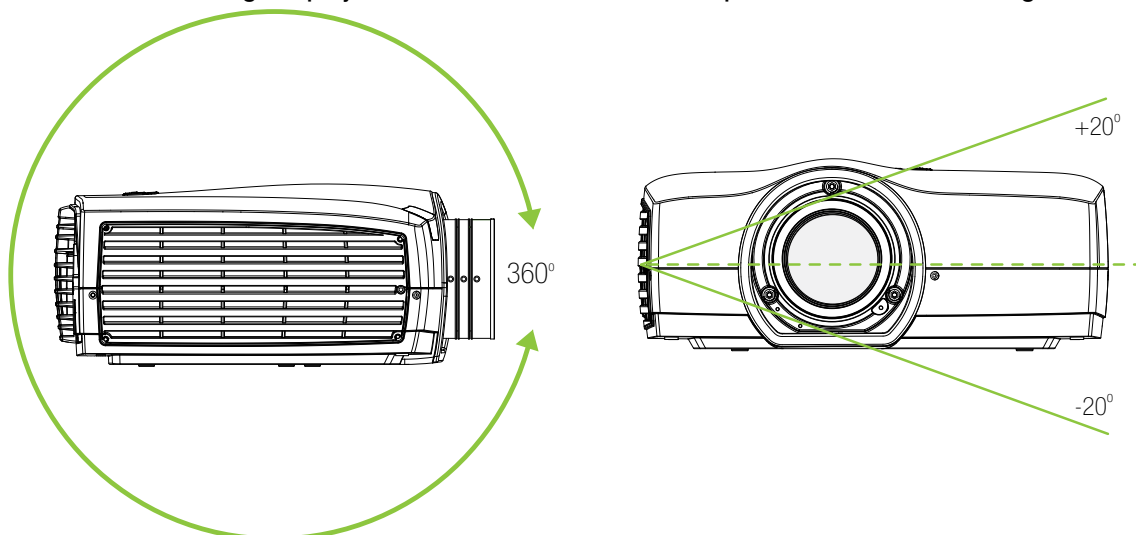


Figure 4-3. Tilting angles

4.6 Selecting a lens

The projector is delivered without a lens, enabling you to select a lens according to your desired image size and projection distance. The projector uses a bayonet mount system to precisely fix the lens in place. The lenses are manual, meaning zoom, focus and iris adjustments are done by hand manually. Lens shift is motorized (horizontally and vertically).

- i Use only the original projection lenses or lenses that have been approved for use with the projector.**



Figure 4-4. The protection lid

- i A protection lid is mounted on the projector lens opening to protect the interior of the projector from dust and damage. The protection lid must always be in place whenever there is no lens mounted on the projector!**

The protection lid must be removed before attaching a lens!

The projection lenses are supplied with protection caps on both the entry and exit sides. Please keep the caps on until mounting the lens on the projector!

Remove lens protection caps before mounting the lens and using the projector.




Figure 4-5. Projection lens release button

4.6.1 Inserting a lens

1. Remove the protection lid on the projector by turning the lid anti-clockwise until it comes loose
2. Remove the protection lids from the lens
3. Insert the lens, making sure the red line marking on the lens points straight up towards the top of the cabinet. If the lens does not enter on the first attempt, retract the lens and try again from a slightly different angle. Do not use force!
4. When the lens enters all the way in, firmly twist the lens clockwise until it clicks into position

4.6.2 Changing/removing a lens

1. Press in the lens release button
2. Twist the lens firmly anti-clockwise until it can be pulled gently out
3. Remove the existing lens and put the 2 lens projection caps back on the removed lens
4. Replace with another lens, or if no lens is to be installed, remount the projector protection lid

 **Note that the lens positioning when using lens shift may affect the accessibility of the lens button. If so, reposition the lens to gain access.**

4.6.3 Lens range

The table shows a selection of lenses available. Please see www.barco.com for more information about lens availability.

ITEM	TYPE	THROW RATIO (WQXGA)	F#	f (mm)	RANGE (m)	SHIFT
EN51	Zoom	1.71-2.37:1	2.60-3.09	33.9-46.5	1.5-10	Ver: 110% Hor: 80%
EN52	Fixed	0.99:1	2.60	19.7	1.0-10	Ver: 100% Hor: 70%
EN53	Fixed	0.79:1@1.65 m	2.60	15.8	0.8-3.3	Ver: 65% Hor: 55%
EN54	Zoom	2.68-4.18:1	2.60-3.26	52.6-81.5	5-25	Ver: 110% Hor: 80%
EN55	Zoom	0.86-1.16:1	2.50-2.72	17.2-23.1	0.8-5.0	Ver: 105% Hor: 75%
EN56	Zoom	1.14-1.74:1	2.50-2.72	22.8-34.7	1.3-7.0	Ver: 105% Hor: 75%

4.7 Lens lock

A lens-lock feature is available whereby three screws on the lens barrel are used to permanently fix the zoom, focus and iris positions. For information on locking the adjustment rings in one position, please refer to section 3.10 Zoom, focus and iris.

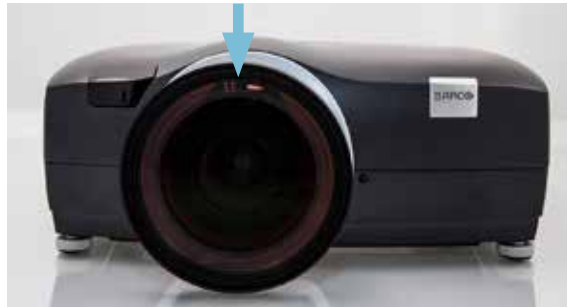


Figure 4-6. Zoom and Focus Lens lock screws (one on each lens ring)

4.8 Lens shift

i Most of the projection lenses are shiftable horizontally (both directions) and vertically (up). Some lenses, typically wide angle lenses (on-axis type) only have a very little shift range. Please refer to the individual lens specifications found on the web for actual shift range.

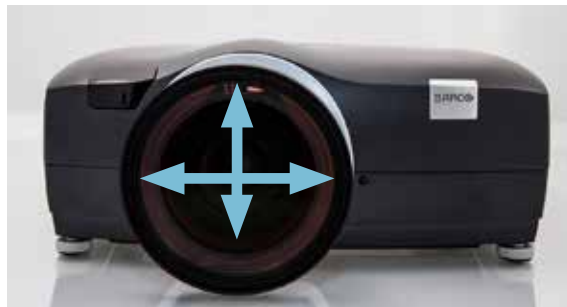


Figure 4-7. Horizontal (both directions) and vertical (up/down) lens shift

Lens shift is motorized and the lens can be shifted either by using the keypad, the wireless remote control or through the wired control interface. For an overview of the lens shift adjustment range for the various lenses, please refer to section 3.6.3 Lens range.

- Using the keypad on the projector, press OK and then OK again to center lens, or use the arrow keys to position (restricted downwards movability).
- Using the remote control, press the OK key to center the lens or arrow keys to position it (restricted downwards movability).
- Using the RS-232 or LAN control interfaces, please refer to the relevant SIS (Simplified Instruction Set) commands available for download on www.barco.com

4.9 Lens planarity (Scheimpflug adjustment)

i This adjustment is rarely needed, do not apply it unless it is required.

Certain applications require fine adjustment of the lens planarity in order to obtain an image that is focused. The projector is fitted with three adjustment screws (Allen key 3mm/5mm) around the bayonet mount that facilitate such adjustment, a so called Scheimpflug adjustment. Do not attempt adjusting without the required technical competence and refer to the service manual found on our web for further info.

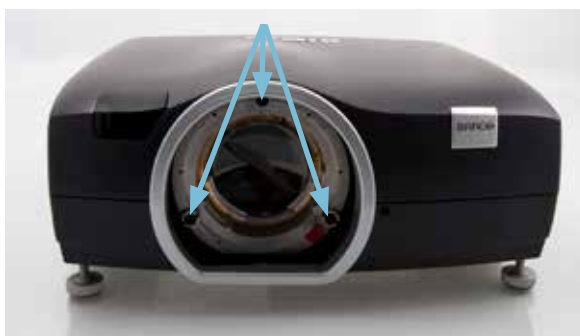


Figure 4-8. Scheimpflug Adjustment Screws

4.10 Zoom, focus and iris

These lens functions are manual (not motorized).

- First adjust zoom to achieve the desired image size (if the lens has a zoom-function).
- Then adjust focus to achieve a sharp image. If the image is not sharp all over the surface, please check the surface flatness and whether the lens axis is perpendicular to the projection surface.
- Use the iris to adjust the contrast and focus depth of the image. Adjusting the iris will affect the brightness; stopping the iris down increases contrast and image depth, but reduces brightness.
- The zoom, focus and, iris rings can be locked in position for typical motion based installations to secure that the picture settings are not changed. Tighten the pre-installed M3 screws on each ring to lock the movement, using a 1.5mm Allen key, until the rings can not be turned.



Figure 4-9. Positioning of Zoom, Focus and Iris rings (may vary on some lenses)

4.11 Making the connections

The projector is equipped with multiple signal and control interfaces to support various video and data sources (see connector panel below), as well as different control systems.



- i** Always make sure that the projector is powered off before connecting any signal and/or control cables.
- Long cables may cause distorted or even failing signal quality. Always make sure best quality cables are used, and take into consideration the cable length limitations applying to the various interface standards.

4.12 Connecting video and data sources

Choice of connectivity depends on the installation requirements as well as the sources connected. Generally, digital interfaces are preferred over analog. Multiple signals can be connected in parallel to allow for a selection of sources to be viewed in sequence.

Attach the interfaces of choice and make sure all connectors are fully inserted and retained.

4.13 Connecting control interfaces

Power off the projector and the source!

Choice of control interface depends on the installation requirements. Attach the interfaces of choice and make sure all connectors are fully inserted and retained.

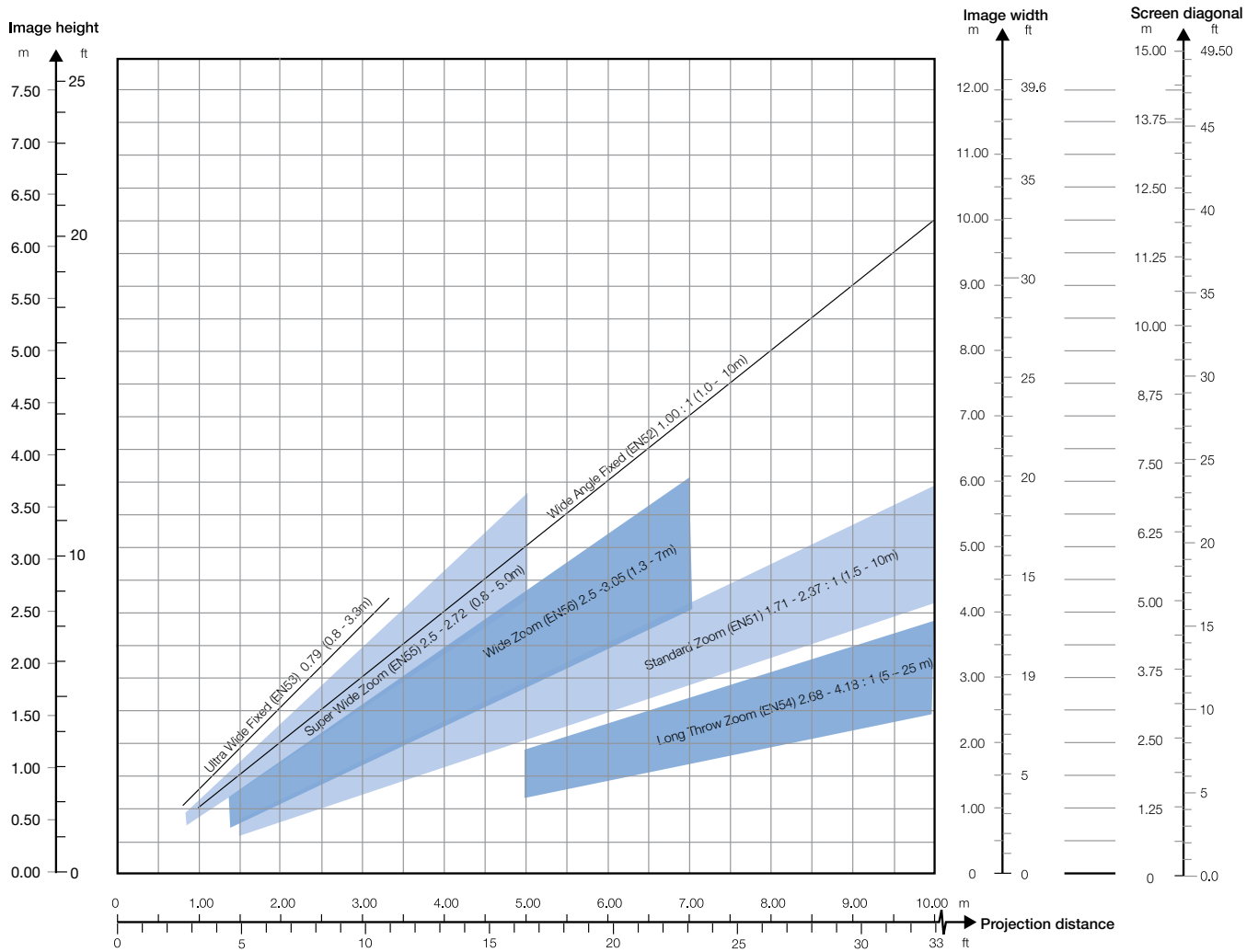
- i** Please see the relevant SIS (Simplified Instruction Set) commands available for download on www.barco.com for easy access to more information.
- Power up the projector and the source!

4.14 Source format integrity – EDID

- i** If using 3rd party system equipment, such as signal repeaters or switchers, please make sure that EDID (Extended Display Identification Data) information is not lost in translation. Wrong EDID data may result in distorted images, wrong aspect ratios or reduced image resolutions.

4.15 Image sizes

2560 x 1600 (WQXGA)



Lens types and specifications may change without prior notice. For correct lens information please refer to www.barco.com

5 Overview



Figure 5-10. Projector front



Figure 5-11. Projector rear



Figure 5-12. Projector top



Figure 5-13. Mounting features



Figure 5-14. Projector left and right hand side

5.1 Keypad and indicator

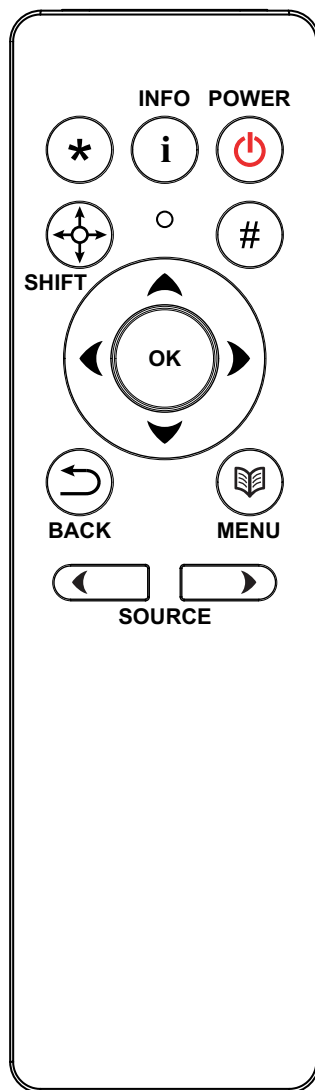


Figure 5-15. Projector top key pad

KEY	VALUE
POWER	Power on or power off (standby)
MENU	Activate or deactivate on-screen menu system
UP, DOWN, LEFT, RIGHT	Select source when not in Shift or Menu mode Shift lens when not in Menu and after SHIFT/OK pressed Navigate when in Menu system
SHIFT/OK	Shift lens when not in menu system Shift option when in menu system
AUTO	Automatic set-up

STATUS	COLOR
On (active)	Blue
Wait on	Blue flashing
Standby (off)	Yellow
Wait	Yellow flashing
Lamp failure	Red
Overheating	Red flashing
Configure/upgrade	Yellow fast flashing
Error	Red fast flashing

5.2 Wireless remote control



Batteries can be replaced by end-user. To replace the 2 standard AAA-batteries for this remote control, slide the lid at the back of the control downwards. Lift it off and remove the batteries. Replace with new batteries and slide the lid back in place.

Figure 5-16. Remote control

BUTTON	FUNCTION
POWER	Turns projector ON/OFF
INFO	Shows Status menu; info on numbers & versions, lamp info
*	Activates the projector auto settings
SHIFT	Activates lens shift function
#	Reserved for future use
OK/ARROWS	Confirms the selection / Directional navigation tools
BACK	Returns to previous alternative
MENU	Activates the projector menu
SOURCE	Toggles between available sources (forward/backwards arrows)

5.3 Connectors



Figure 5-17. Connector panel (see technical data for details)

5.3.1 Signal connectors

CONNECTOR NAME	CONNECTOR TYPE	FUNCTION
HDBaseT	RJ45	Video over twisted pair
DVI	DVI-I*) dual link	Digital video (dual-link)
HDMI	HDMI type A	Digital video
DP (Display Port)	DP	Digital video (2)
VGA	9 pin mini DSUB	Analog RGBHV video
3G-SDI	BNC 75 Ω	Digital Video

*) the DVI connection is digital-only, although it uses the DVI-I physical connector for convenience

5.3.2 Control connectors

CONNECTOR NAME	CONNECTOR TYPE	FUNCTION
SYNC1	BNC	Multi purpose bi-directional synchronization port
SYNC2	BNC	Multi purpose bi-directional synchronization port
SYNC3	3-pin mini-DIN	Powered multi purpose bi-directional synchronization port
USB A	USB A	USB connectors for SW upgrade and diagnosis
LAN	RJ45	Control
RS232	9 PIN DSUB	Control

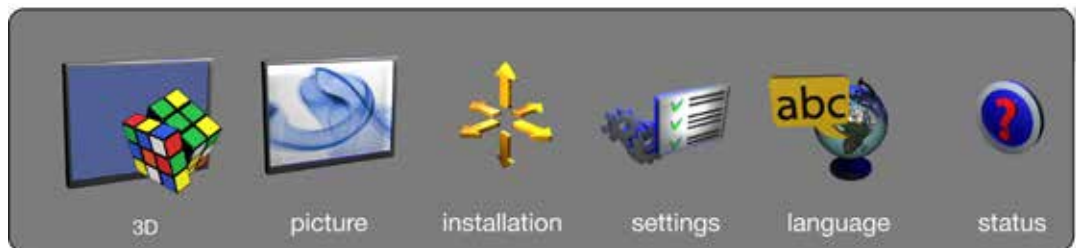
5.4 Menu system

The various projector-settings can be controlled via the on-screen menu system. The menu system is accessed by the keypad on the projector or using the wireless remote control.

Press the MENU key to enter or leave the menu system. Navigate the options using the arrow-keys. Select option with the OK key.

The menu-system will be referenced throughout the user guide. Please familiarize yourself with the menus and the rich functionality provided.

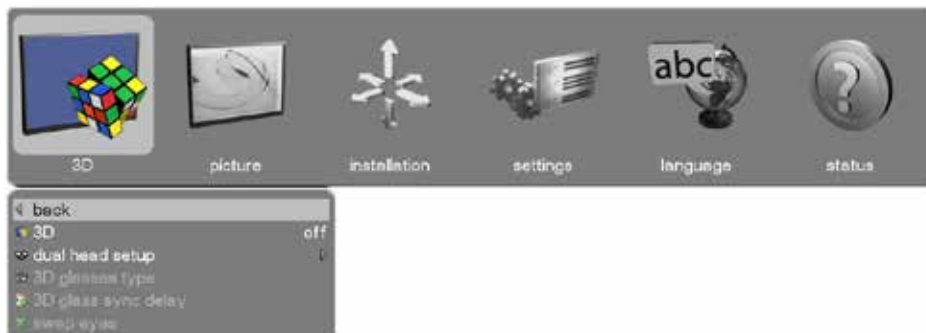
5.4.1 Top menu



- 3D:** 3D and dual head setup
- picture:** Basic and advanced picture controls.
- installation:** System controls and information.
- settings:** Settings that affect how the projector behaves or interacts with third party devices, such as networks and control systems
- profiles:** Pre-stored, and user defined settings.
- language:** Selects menu language.
- status:** System information.

 The top level menu item **3D** is only visible for **Active Stereo 3D** enabled projectors.

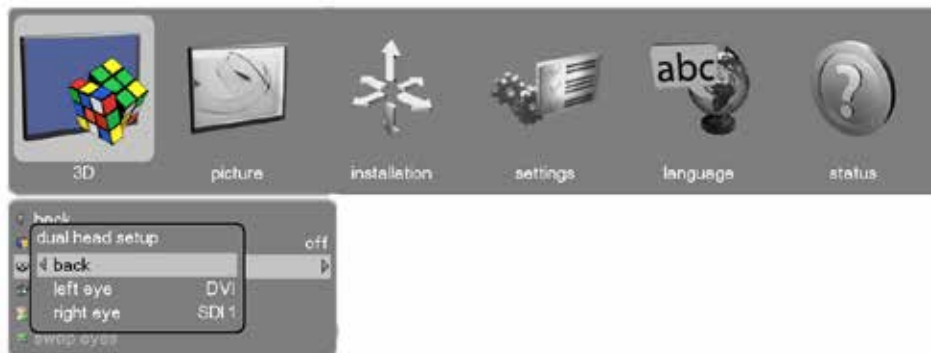
5.5 3D main menu



The 3D menu contains settings for turning 3D on and off, in addition to defining various aspects of setup using Dual Head and specifying the types of glasses to be used.

- 3D :** Offers the possibility to switch the 3D function off and to chose between the following alternatives for setup: off, side by side (60Hz< only), frame sequential and dual head (60Hz< only)
- dual head setup:** Allows the user to define 2 current sources. The alternatives are: SDI 1, SDI 2, DVI, HDMI, VGA, HDBaseT, DisplayPort 1, DisplayPort 2. Some combinations of left/right eye are not possible, see
- 3D glasses type:** Here you can select the type of 3D glasses you want to use. The alternatives are: DLP Link™ and IR.
- 3D glass sync delay:** Here you can set the delay time for your 3D glasses on a range from 0 - 179
- swap eyes:** Swap order of eyes (left/right) for 3D-glass synchronization.

5.5.1 3D > Dual head setup sub menu



left eye: Choice of source for the left eye. Alternatives are SDI1, SDI2, DVI, HDMI, VGA, HDBaseT, DisplayPort1, DisplayPort 2. For possible setup combinations, see Figure 4-18. Dual head setup possibilities.

right eye: Choice of source for the right eye. Alternatives are SDI1, SDI2, DVI, HDMI, VGA, HDBaseT, DisplayPort1, DisplayPort 2. For possible setup combinations, see Figure 4-18. Dual head setup possibilities.

	DP1	DP2	HDBaseT	DVI(SL)	HDMI	DVI (DL)	VGA	3G SDI (A)	3 G SDI (B)
DP1									
DP2									
HDBaseT									
DVI (Single Link Mode)									
HDMI									
DVI (Dual Link Mode)									
VGA									
3G SDI (A)									
3G SDI (B)									

	Not possible
	Possible

Figure 5-18. Dual head setup possibilities

5.6 Picture main menu



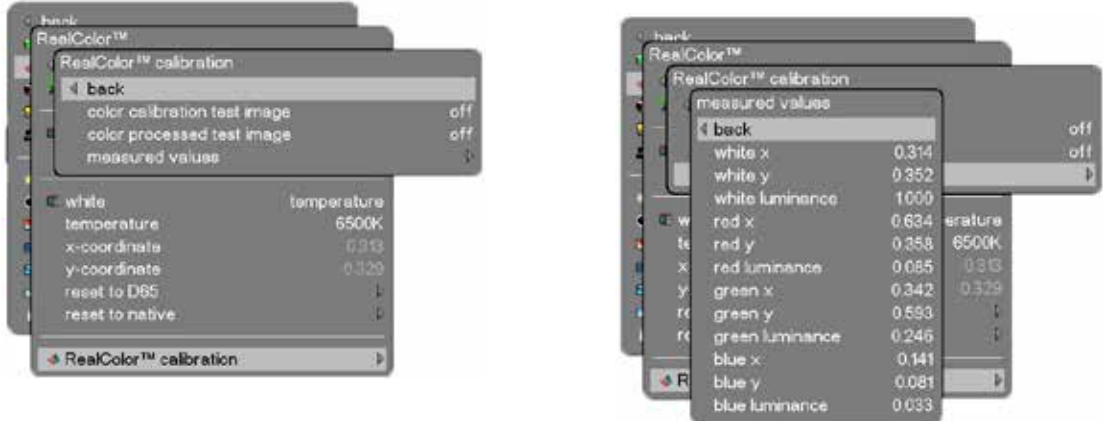
The picture menu contains basic and advanced settings and adjustments for detailed picture enhancement control. All adjustments are local, meaning specific to each single source being displayed, and are stored in memory as such. All picture settings are automatically stored relative to the source, and recalled upon re-connection.

- profile:** A selection of predefined profiles with different attributes: standard, presentation, bright, video, cinema, DICOM, custom, advanced. If the profile is marked by an asterisk (*), this indicates that the original settings have been changed.
- RealColor:** Barco's proprietary color management suite. See description in RealColor sub menu.
- gamma:** 10 predefined gamma curves:
 - Film 2.2:** Exponential 2.2 curve
 - Film 2.4:** Exponential 2.4 curve
 - Film 2.6:** Exponential 2.6 curve
 - Film 2.8:** Exponential 2.8 curve
 - Video 1:** Relaxed S-shape
 - Video 2:** Increase S-shape
 - Computer 1:** Steep S-shape
 - Computer 2:** Very steep S-shape
 - Dynamic:** Increase S-shape
 - DICOM 180 Lux:** Curve shape depending on type of color wheel used
- lamp power:** Adjustment of lamp power between 280-350W
- profile reset:** Resets any entered profiles, either current or all, to default
- brightness:** Electronic image brightness. Range -50 to +50
- contrast:** Electronic image contrast. Range -50 to +50
- saturation:** Electronic image saturation. Range -50 to +50
- aspect:** Aspect ratio of image scaling. 5 options:
 - Fill aspect ratio:** Fills the imaging device in horizontal and/or vertical direction to main the input image aspect ratio.
 - Fill all:** Fills the entire imaging device regardless of the input aspect ratio and resolution.
 - Fill 16:9:** Fills the imaging device with a 16:9 aspect ratio (scaled) image regardless of input aspect ratio and resolution.
 - Fill 4:3:** Fills the imaging device with a 4:3 aspect ratio (scaled) image regardless of the input aspect ratio and resolution.
 - One-to-one:** Shows the input image mapped pixel-by-pixel without scaling on the imaging device.
- advanced:** Advanced features. See Chapter 4.6.2.
- reset:** Restore picture settings to factory default.
- source information:** Detailed information about the acquired source.

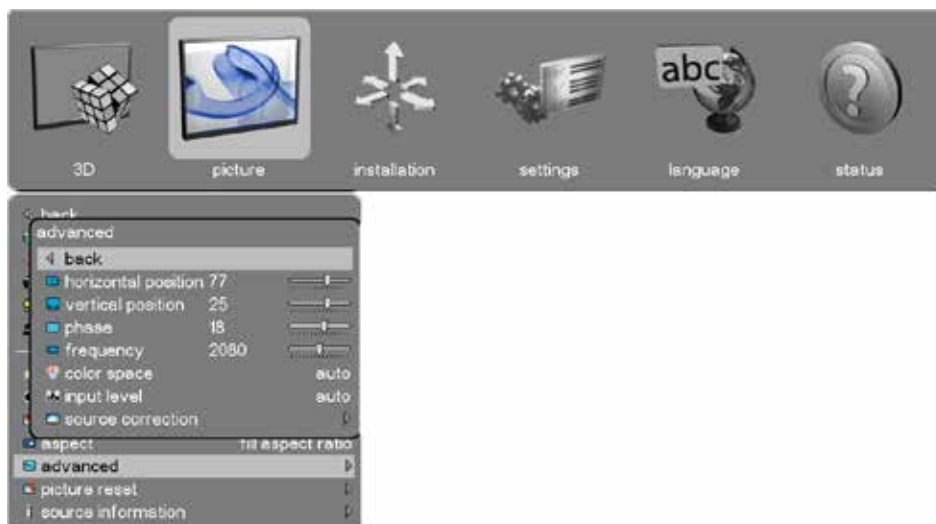
5.6.1 Picture > RealColor sub menu



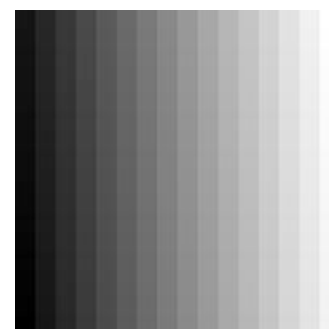
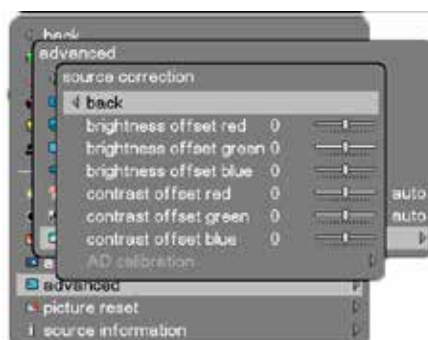
- BrilliantColor™:** Texas Instruments DLP™ color processing. 3 settings:
Bright: Max brightness, boosted color profile for highest perceived brightness. In this mode all segments and spokes of the color wheel are in use.
Color: Max brightness, balanced color profile for better color performance. In this mode all segments and spokes of the color wheel are in use.
Off: In this mode the spokes (transition between segments) and all secondary segments (cyan and white) and on color wheel are off. Less color and brightness boost will reduce image noise.
- color correction:** Enable or disable color correction.
- desired values:** Desired processing mode (RGB, RGBCMY) for RealColor and specification of red, green blue, cyan, magenta and yellow color coordinates (x,y) and gain.
- temperature:** Sets the system color temperature (white point) on the Kelvin scale from 3200K to 9300K in steps of 100K. All color temperatures are tracked on the black body curve. The exact coordinates for the temperature will be shown in coordinates (x,y) when adjusting the temperature.
- x-coordinate:** Sets the X co-ordinate of the white point.
- y-coordinate:** Sets the Y co-ordinate of the white point.
- reset to D65:** Reset the white point to D65 coordinates.
- reset to native:** Resets desired values to measured values.
- RealColor calibration:** Selects color calibration test images (off, uncorrected red/green/blue/full white) and color processed test images (red, green, blue, white, black, cyan, magenta, yellow). Presents measured values for RealColor (see below). Calibration settings have to be made individually for each separate profile.



5.6.2 Picture > Advanced sub menu



- horizontal position:** Shifts the image sideways (VGA only)
- vertical position:** Shifts the image up or down (VGA only)
- phase:** Adjust for stable image. A jittery image may appear with certain VGA sources. You may also press the AUTO button on the keypad or remote control to optimize.
- frequency:** Adjust image width. An incorrect setting may produce vertical, unstable bands in the image, and parts of the image may not be displayed on screen. Push the AUTO button to find a correct setting, or manually adjust the frequency until the vertical bands disappear. Frequency adjusts the pixel clock sampling frequency
- color space:** Enables selecting between Auto, RGB, YCbCr 601, YCbCr 709
- input level:** Choice between; auto, computer, video. Depending on source select between 0-255 (computer), 16-235 (video).
- source correction:** Gives access to individual brightness offset settings (see below). In addition you can start the AD calibration process which requires VGA source which displays a Grey16 image (right hand image below).



5.7 Installation main menu



- image orientation:** Rotate the image on the imaging device in desktop front, desktop rear, ceiling front, ceiling rear.
- source scan:** Search through all input connectors for an active signal or stay on one connector.
- IR front** Enable or disable front IR-receiver.
- IR rear** Enable or disable rear IR-receiver.
- OSD enable:** Sets how the OSD messages should appear.
On: All OSD messages are shown.
Only warnings: Only critical OSD messages are shown.
Off: No OSD messages are shown. The OSD menu is still accessible by clicking menu on either the remote or the keypad.
- test image:** Displays internal test images for projector alignment and setup. Option to show 4:3, 16:9, 16:10, 1.85:1, 2.35:1, 5:4, combined, off
4:3: fills the imaging device with a white image, but marks out the 4:3 area in the center of the image.
16:9: fills the imaging device with a white image, but marks out the 16:9 area in the center of the image.
16:10: fills the imaging device with a white image, but marks out the 16:10 area in the center of the image.
1.85:1: fills the imaging device with a white image, but marks out the 1.85:1 area in the center of the image.
2.35:1: fills the imaging device with a white image, but marks out the 2.35:1 area in the center of the image.
5:4: fills the imaging device with a white image, but marks out the 5:4 area in the center of the image.
Combined: fills the imaging device with a white image and marks out the all of the above aspect ratios.
- sync termination VGA:** Enable sync termination to 75 Ω /2.2 kΩ
- sync termination SYNC1:** Enable sync termination to 75 Ω /2.2 kΩ
- sync termination SYNC2:** Enable sync termination to 75 Ω /2.2 kΩ
- sync termination SYNC3:** Enable sync termination to 75 Ω /2.2 kΩ
- DisplayPort 1 eq** Choice between *Normal* and *High* (enables receiving signals via longer cables/with a higher bit rate)
- DisplayPort 2 eq** Choice between *Normal* and *High* (enables receiving signals via longer cables/with a higher bit rate)
- EDID:** Sub menu for EDID.
- synchronisation:** Sub menu for synchronization.

5.7.1 Installation > EDID sub menu



- VGA:** Define the detailed timing descriptor in the EDID data for VGA connector. Select between auto, WUXGA, 1080@60Hz, SX+, SXGA, 1366x768, 720@60Hz, 720@50Hz, XGA, SVGA, VGA.
- DVI:** Define the detailed timing descriptor in the EDID data for DVI connector. Select between auto, WQXGA@60Hz, WUXGA@120Hz, WUXGA@60Hz, 1080@120Hz, 1080@60Hz, SX+, SXGA, 1366x768, 720@60Hz, 720@50Hz, XGA, SVGA, VGA. Here are the auto-settings for various resolutions:
- 1080: 1920x1080@120 Hz. Dual link
 - WUXGA: 1920x1200@120 Hz. Dual link
 - WQXGA: 2560x1600@60 Hz. Dual link
- HDMI:** Define the detailed timing descriptor in the EDID data for HDMI connector. Select between auto, WQXGA@60Hz, WUXGA@120Hz, WUXGA@60Hz, 1080@120Hz, 1080@60Hz, SX+, SXGA, 1366x768, 720@60Hz, 720@50Hz, XGA, SVGA, VGA. All settings, except auto, uses DVI as type. Here are the auto-settings for various resolutions:
- 1080: 1920x1080@60 Hz
 - WUXGA: 1920x1080@60 Hz
 - WQXGA: 1920x1080@60 Hz
- HDBaseT:** Define the detailed timing descriptor in the EDID data for HDBaseT connector. Select between auto, WQXGA@60Hz, WUXGA@120Hz, WUXGA@60Hz, 1080@120Hz, 1080@60Hz, SX+, SXGA, 1366x768, 720@60Hz, 720@50Hz, XGA, SVGA, VGA. All settings, except auto, uses HDMI as type. Here are the auto-settings for various resolutions:
- 1080: 1920x1080@60 Hz
 - WUXGA: 1920x1080@60 Hz
 - WQXGA: 1920x1080@60 Hz
- DisplayPort 1:** Define the detailed timing descriptor in the EDID data for DisplayPort 1 connector. Select between auto, WQXGA@120Hz, WQXGA@60Hz, WUXGA@120Hz, WUXGA@60Hz, 1080@120Hz, 1080@60Hz, SX+, SXGA, 1366x768, 720@60Hz, 720@50Hz, XGA, SVGA, VGA. Here are the auto-settings for various resolutions:
- 1080: 1920x1080@60 Hz
 - WUXGA: 1920x1080@60 Hz
 - WQXGA: 1920x1080@60 Hz
- DisplayPort 2:** Define the detailed timing descriptor in the EDID data for DisplayPort 2 connector. Select between auto, WQXGA@120Hz, WQXGA@60Hz, WUXGA@120Hz, WUXGA@60Hz, 1080@120Hz, 1080@60Hz, SX+, SXGA, 1366x768, 720@60Hz, 720@50Hz, XGA, SVGA, VGA. Here are the auto-settings for various resolutions:
- 1080: 1920x1080@60 Hz
 - WUXGA: 1920x1080@60 Hz
 - WQXGA: 1920x1080@60 Hz

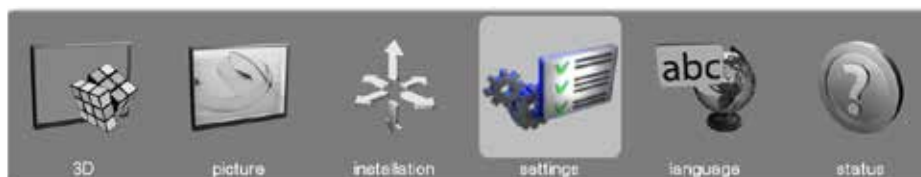
5.7.2 Installation > Synchronization sub menu



- 2D frame lock:** Selects the 2D frame lock sync signal. Options for 2D frame lock: source, SYNC 1, SYNC 2, SYNC 3.
- SYNC 1:** Selects usage of SYNC1 connector in 2D mode. Options for SYNC 1: input, display sync, SYNC 2, SYNC 3
- SYNC 2:** Selects usage of SYNC2 connector in 2D mode. Options for SYNC 2: input, display sync, SYNC 1, SYNC 3
- SYNC 3:** Selects usage of SYNC3 connector in 2D mode. Options for SYNC 3: input, display sync, SYNC 1, SYNC 2
- 3D source sync:** Selects the 3D source LR sync signal. Options for 3D source sync: none, SYNC 1, SYNC 2, SYNC 3
- 3D display sync:** Selects the 3D display LR sync signal. Options for 3D source sync: source, SYNC 1, SYNC 2, SYNC 3
- SYNC 1:** Selects usage of SYNC1 connector in 3D mode Options for SYNC 1: input, display sync, glass sync, SYNC 2, SYNC 3
- SYNC 2:** Selects usage of SYNC2 connector in 3D mode Options for SYNC 2: input, display sync, glass sync, SYNC 1, SYNC 3.
- SYNC 3:** Selects usage of SYNC3 connector in 3D mode Options for SYNC 3: input, display sync, glass sync, SYNC 1, SYNC 2

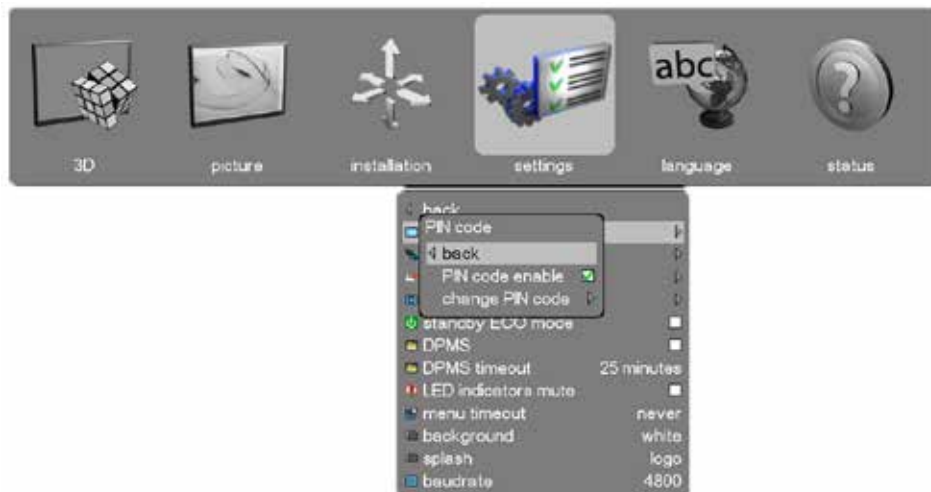
i If you use one of the sync connectors as 2D or 3D sync input, this may block the use of the same connector as output. For further info on the various possible user scenarios, please refer to our web page.

5.8 Settings menu



PIN code:	Protect the projector from usage with a PIN. If enabled the projector will ask for the PIN at every start up.
network:	Set IP address, Subnet mask and default gateway TCP/UDP port number. DHCP is supported and is enabled by default, but can be disabled.
factory reset:	Restore all settings to the factory defined values.
service:	End user protected settings. Access PIN code required.
DPMS:	Enable or disable DPMS power saving. This feature is used to automatically power down the projector if no source is detected for a given period of time (defined by DPMS time-out). If the projector is powered down in DPMS power save, it will automatically power back on if a valid source is acquired.
DPMS timeout:	Set the period of time before the projector automatically enter DPMS mode. DPMS must be enabled for this menu item to active.
LED indicators mute:	Disable all LED indicators on the back of the projector. A critical error (status LED flashing RED) will still be enabled.
menu timeout:	The time interval before the OSD is automatically disabled. Option of "never" is available if the OSD is never to time out.
background:	Gives a choice between white, gray or black background color.
splash:	Possibility to choose between logo or black for the startup splash screen.
baudrate:	Presents alternative bauderate settings (Bd): 4800, 9600, 19200, 38400, 57600, 115200

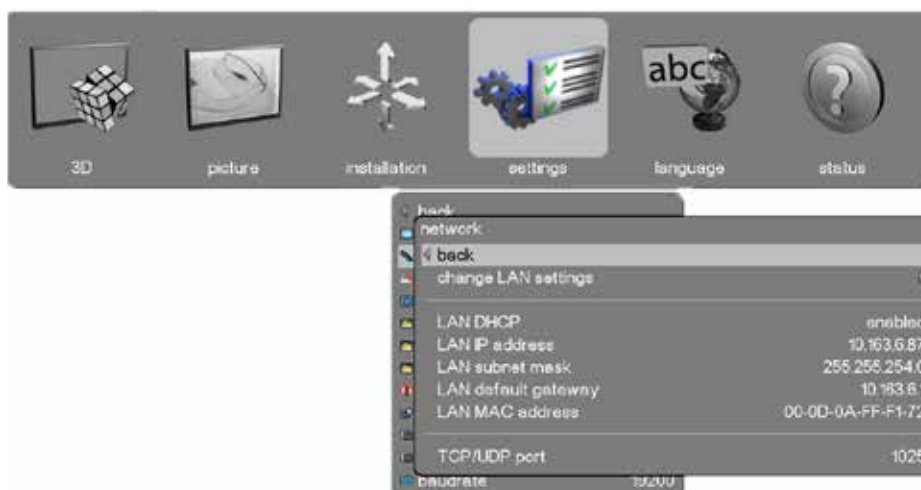
5.8.1 Settings > Pin Code sub menu



PIN code enable: The PIN code is disabled by default. If you want to enable/disable the PIN code you have to enter the current PIN (Default PIN: 1234). When completed you can enable or disable the use of PIN code. If PIN is entered incorrectly 3 times, it will ask for a PUK code. If the PUK is entered incorrectly it will require a special unlock code provide by a service partner to unlock the projector.

change PIN code: To change the PIN code you first have to enter the current PIN code (Default PIN: 1234). Then you enter a new 4 digit code and confirm this code by entering the same code again. Click OK and the new code is set.

5.8.2 Settings > Network sub menu



change LAN settings: In this sub-menu you can switch the DHCP enabled function on or off. If off you can set a fixed IP-address.

LAN DHCP: DHCP is supported and is enabled by default, but can be disabled under *change LAN settings*

LAN IP address: Info field stating the current *LAN IP address*.

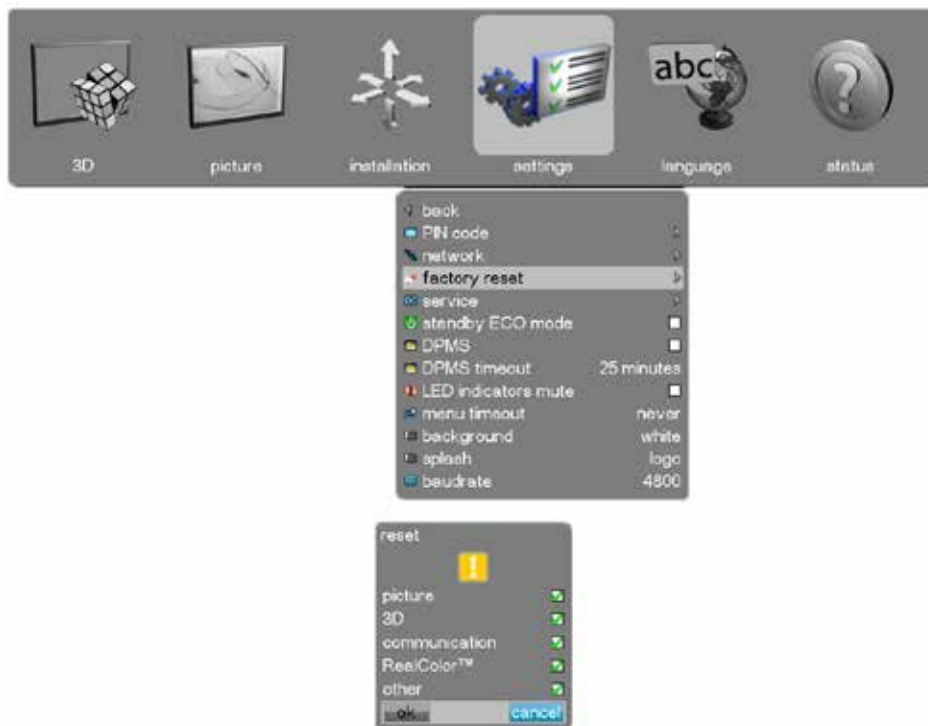
LAN subnet mask: Info field stating the current *LAN subnet mask*.

LAN default gateway: Info field stating the current *LAN default gateway*.

LAN MAC address: Info field stating the current *LAN MAC address*.

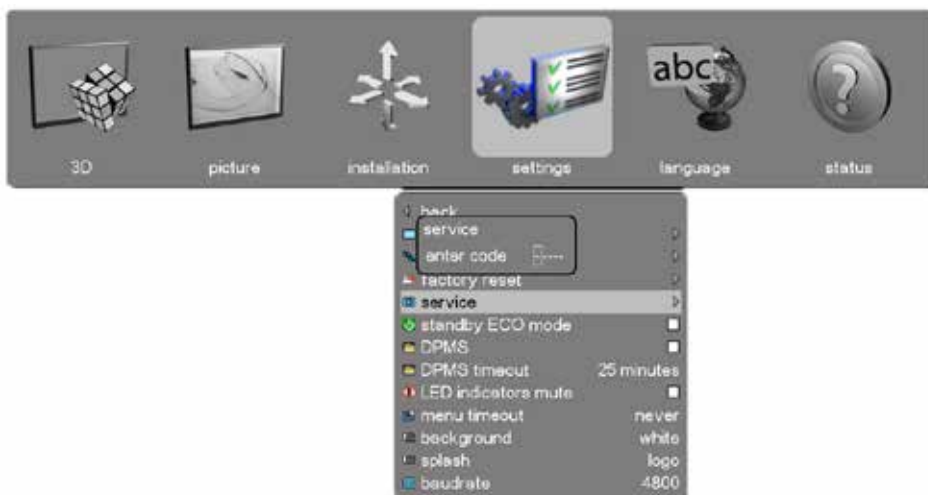
TCP/UDP port: Info field stating the current *TCP/UDP port*.

5.8.3 Settings > Factory Reset sub menu



- picture:** Restores picture settings to factory default.
- 3D:** Restores 3D settings to factory default.
- communication:** Restores communication settings to factory default.
- RealColor™:** Restores RealColor™ settings to factory default.
- other:** Restores other settings of your choice to factory default.

5.8.4 Settings > Service sub menu



- service:** Restricted area with information intended for qualified service personnel only
- enter code:** Enter the 5-digit access code to gain access to the service information.

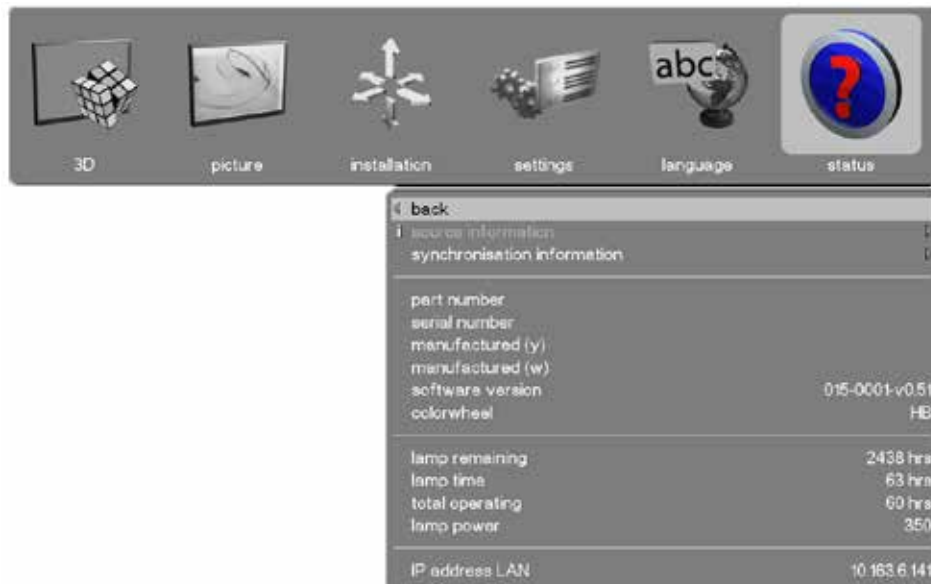
5.9 Languages menu



Select the desired menu language.

- Supported languages: English, French, German, Spanish, Norwegian, Swedish, Russian, Korean, Japanese, Chinese Traditional, Chinese Simplified, Portuguese, Italian.
- **Default:** English

5.10 Status menu



source information:	Simple and advanced <i>source information</i> .
synchronisation information:	Gives information on the <i>3D</i> (off/on) and <i>2D frame lock</i> (source)
part number:	Projector part number.
serial number:	Projector serial number.
manufactured (y):	Year of manufacturing.
manufactured (w):	Week of manufacturing.
software version:	Software version installed in the projector. This is very important for service requests.
colorwheel:	Type of colorwheel installed.
lamp remaining:	Remaining lamp time.
lamp time:	Lamp time used.
total operating:	Total operating time for projector.
lamp power:	Lamp power in watts.
IP address LAN:	Projector IP address for use in network/remote control .

5.10.1 Status > Source Information sub menu



- advanced:** Access to sub menu for more settings depending on source used. See 4.10.2 Status > Source Information > Advanced sub menu
- source:** Info on which source is in use.
- brightness:** Info on *brightness* settings.
- contrast:** Info on *contrast* settings.
- saturation:** Info on *saturation* settings.
- gamma:** Info on gamma-variant used.

5.10.2 Status > Source Information > Advanced sub menu



- sync frequency :** Info on current horizontal and vertical sync frequency for the projector.
- total image size:** Info on current horizontal and vertical image size.
- active image size:** Info on current active image size.
- scan:** Projector serial number.
- pixelclock:** Week of manufacturing.
- mode id:** Info on current mode setup (VGA source only).

5.10.3 Status > Source Synchronisation sub menu



- 3D:** Indicates which 3D mode is used.
- 2D frame lock:** Indicates what the projector locks to in 2D
 - Frequency:** Shows the current frequency of the locking signal
 - Status:** Indicates the locking status
 - Phase:** Indicates phase between the source and the locking signal
- 3D source sync:** Indicates where the source L/R sync is connected
 - Frequency:** Shows the current frequency of the signal
 - Duty cycle:** Shows the duty cycle of the signal
 - Status:** Indicates the sync status
 - Phase:** Indicates phase between the source and the L/R sync signal
- 3D display sync:** Indicates what the projector locks to in 3D
 - Frequency:** Shows the current frequency of the locking signal
 - Duty cycle:** Shows the duty cycle of the signal
 - Status:** Indicates the locking status
 - Phase:** Indicates phase between the source and the locking signal

6 Functionality

The various functions of the projector are described in detail in the following chapters.

6.1 Powering On and Off

6.1.1 Manual power control

Switch the projector between On and Standby using the **POWER** switch on the keypad or the wireless remote control.

The keypad **STATUS** indicator is blue when the projector is up and running, flashing yellow when cooling down and yellow when in standby. No status light indicates that the power has been switched off completely in the installation.

6.1.2 DPMS - power down

This is a power down mode which needs to be activated in the **SETTINGS** menu. When activated it powers down after a specified period of time after a source has been removed. The time out setting can be specified in the **DPMS TIMEOUT** function in the same menu, using the arrow keys.

6.2 Image alignment

Test images are built into the system for easier alignment of the projector

To access the test images, go to the menu entry **INSTALLATION > TEST IMAGE**. Run through the various test images using the arrow keys. When a test image matching the aspect ratio of your screen has been found, you can match the screen using the zoom, focus, lens shift and aligning the projector physically.

6.2.1 Image orientation

The projector supports the following installation orientations (in relation to the screen):

- Desktop front (default)
- Ceiling front
- Desktop rear
- Ceiling rear

To set the image orientation go to menu entry **INSTALLATION > IMAGE ORIENTATION**.

6.3 Language

The menu system has a total of 11 user-selectable languages available. The default language is English.

The available languages are:

- English
- French
- German
- Spanish
- Russian
- Norwegian
- Swedish
- Korean
- Japanese
- Chinese Simplified
- Chinese Traditional
- Portuguese
- Italian

To change the language of the menu system, just click top menu and select your desired language.

6.4 System status

System status can be read at any time. **STATUS** is easily accessible from the top menu or by pushing the *INFO* button the wireless remote control.

- Part number
- Serial number
- The year/week the projector was manufactured
- Current software version
- Runtime and remaining time for lamp
- Total number of operating hours
- All network information
- Currently active source

Further source information is available by selecting **STATUS > SOURCE INFORMATION**.

If a deeper analysis is required for the currently active source, select **STATUS > SOURCE INFORMATION > ADVANCED**. This menu provides detailed timing information for the currently active source.

Setting custom color space and digital level

The projector will automatically try to set the correct color space and digital drive level based on information from the source.

For manual override of the automatically detected color space and digital level, go to **PICTURE > ADVANCED** in the menu. Set the **COLOR SPACE** and **INPUT LEVEL** to one of the manual settings, choosing your desired color space and digital drive level.

6.5 Lamp power

The projection lamp can be run at different power levels. Higher levels give higher brightness and shorter lamp life time. Lower levels save energy, extend lifetime and reduce brightness. In the menu system, go to **PICTURE > LAMP POWER** and adjust the setting according to need.

6.6 Source selection, source scan

The projector can automatically scan through all the input connectors for a valid signal. If a valid signal is found, the image will set up automatically. This is called source scan.

Source scan is by default disabled. When source scan is disabled, the projector will only display the selected source. Use the keypad, remote control or the control interface to change the selected input source. In the menu system, go to **INSTALLATION > SOURCE SCAN**.

Direct source selection can be done using the keypad or the wireless remote control.

- Using the keypad, press the arrow keys to select desired source (when not in menu and not shifting the lens)
- Using the wireless remote control, press the desired dedicated source select button
- Using the RS232 or LAN control interfaces, please see the relevant SIS (Simplified Instruction Set) commands available to download on www.barco.com

6.7 On screen display (OSD) messages

When detecting sources and using the various features of the projector, OSD messages will appear on the screen. Which messages will be appearing can be partially controlled by the user. The OSD can run in these modes:

- **On.** All messages, warnings and information is displayed.
- **Off.** No messages are shown.
- **Only warnings.** Only critical warning messages like temperature overheating will be shown.

Go to menu entry **INSTALLATION > OSD ENABLE** to control the OSD behaviour.

6.7.1 Disabling the STATUS indicator

In certain installations it may required to completely disable the *STATUS* indicator in the keypad. Disable the indicator in the menu **SETTINGS > LED INDICATORS MUTE**.

6.7.2 Setting the background color

The background color displayed when the projector is searching for a source can be set to a set of predefined colors (white/grey/black). Go to menu entry **SETTINGS > BACKGROUND** to set the desired color.

6.7.3 Setting OSD menu timeout

If the OSD menu is open and not used for a defined period of time, it will automatically be disabled. This timeout interval can be regulated from 5 seconds to 60 seconds, with the default time set to 30 seconds. The timeout can also be set to **NEVER** for the OSD menu to never time out. Go to menu entry **SETTINGS > MENU TIMEOUT** to change the time period.


6.7.4 Selecting the startup logo

When the projector is starting up, a logo is displayed in the entire image. The logo can also be set to **BLACK** if it is desirable to disable the manufacturers default logo. Go to menu entry **SETTINGS > SPLASH** to change this setting.

6.8 PIN code


The projector can be locked by a PIN (Personal Identification Number) code to control access. The PIN code is 4 digits, and if the PIN code is activated, you must enter the correct code to unlock the projector. Factory set PIN (1234).

To activate, deactivate or change the PIN code, see the **SETTINGS > PIN CODE** sub menu.

 **If an incorrect PIN code is entered, you may try again two times. If you fail three times in a row, entering a PUK (unlock) code is needed. The PUK code is supplied with the product.**

 **If you also fail three times with the PUK code, the projector locks up permanently, and can only be unlocked by a special service unlock code.**

To access this code, you will need to contact your dealer or a service station. The service unlock code will be generated based on a secure, encrypted number that is produced by the projector itself. The projector will produce a new number every time.

 **In order to unlock the projector via a dealer/service station, proof of ownership must be provided by the customer.**

6.9 Disabling the wireless remote control (IR) receivers

The projector has 2 IR receivers, one in the front and one at the rear.

These receivers can be individually disabled if necessary. Go to menu entry **INSTALLATION > IR FRONT / IR REAR** to disable the receivers.

6.10 Software upgrades

In order to upgrade your projector, please follow the method and sequence described below:

- You will need a USB memory stick set up with a FAT-file system to perform this upgrade
- Access the upgrade software from the following web-address;
www.barco.com
- Download and save the firmware.zip-file to your PC desktop
- Download and save the firmware_<version>.tar file to the root of a memory stick
It is important that the USB is safely removed from computer, using the eject function on your PC.
- Set the projector in standby mode
- Insert the memory stick in the projector and wait a few seconds
- If the projector is in standby mode it will start flashing automatically
If the projector is in a sleep mode, push the on button to initiate flashing
Rapid blue blinking indicates that upgrade is initiated
- Remove the USB stick when blue blinking turns to yellow blink.
Rapid yellow blinking indicates that the upgrade process is running
- **Do not turn off projector/remove the power cord while the upgrade is still in progress!**
- The projector may restart several times during the upgrade
- The upgrade has finished successfully when yellow rapid blink has changed to stable yellow light

7 Optimising the image

The projector has powerful features for picture optimization. This chapter describes details in using these features. All color calibration is done using Barco's proprietary RealColor™ solution.


7.1 Calibration data

All Barco projectors are measured and calibrated with high precision equipment at the factory for the best out-of-box experience. Over the lifetime of the lamps the characteristics of the projector might change slightly. The same applies when replacing lamps.

7.1.1 Updating RealColor™ calibration data


For accurate results with the RealColor™ system, accurate measurement data is required.

RealColor™ calibration data can be found under the menu entry **PICTURE > REALCOLOR > REALCOLOR CALIBRATION > MEASURED VALUES X/Y** and relative luminance values for red, green, blue, white and BrilliantColor™ 1 are entered in this menu. The BrilliantColor™ should all be set to 0.000 for the VizSim (RGB) color wheel. All values can also be updated using the communications protocol over RS-232 or LAN.

 **Before setting these values, it is important to select the desired BrilliantColor™ setting. Go to menu entry PICTURE > REALCOLOR > BRILLIANTCOLOR to select the desired BrilliantColor™ look.**

Measurements must be done on the built in test patterns. This is in particular important for the BrilliantColor™ 1 test pattern since it is impossible to generate this pattern correctly using a computer source. In the user menu these patterns can be accessed through **PICTURE > CALIBRATION > REALCOLOR CALIBRATION > COLOR CALIBRATION TESTIMAGE/ COLOR PROCESSED TEST IMAGE**.

Use the arrow keys to cycle through the images.

 **Performing a factory reset of the projector will restore the measured values to the values measured in the factory. When measuring data, a high quality measurement instrument is highly recommended for accurate results. Spectrometers (like PhotoResearch PR-655) are preferred.**

7.1.2 RealColor™ modes

Before any color correction is applied to the image, RealColor™ must be enabled. Go to menu **PICTURE > REALCOLOR > COLOR CORRECTION** to enable RealColor™.

RealColor™ can operate in 3 modes:

- Color temperature/white point correction only.
- Red, Green, Blue, White correction. In this mode optimal color coordinates for Cyan, Magenta and Yellow will be computed automatically.
- Red, Green, Blue, Cyan, Magenta, Yellow, White. In this mode color points and intensity for each color can be manipulated separately.

To change the RealColor™ mode please go the menu **PICTURE > REALCOLOR > DESIRED VALUES > DESIRED COORDS MODE**.

7.2 Setting a white point or color temperature

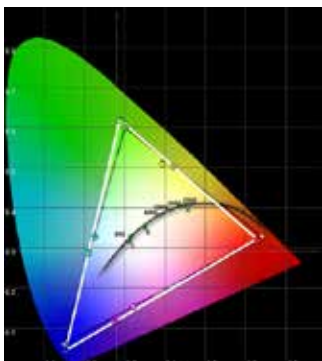


Figure 7-1. CIE chart

After enabling RealColor™ set the color temperature in the menu **PICTURE > REALCOLOR > TEMPERATURE**. Values between 3200K and 9300K can be selected. These color temperatures are tracking the “black body curve”- the black curved line in the center of CIE Chart in Figure 7-1. The default is the D65 illuminant at 6500K.

The white point can also be set to a custom value defined by an x, y coordinate not linked to the black body. Go to menu **PICTURE > REALCOLOR > X-COORDINATE** and **PICTURE > REALCOLOR > Y-COORDINATE** to change the white point.

7.2.1 Defining the system color gamut

All colors visible to the eye are defined by CIE Chart in Figure 7-1. The boundary of the colors the projector can display is called the system color gamut. The white triangle in the figure is an example of a system color gamut. By default the projector has the widest possible system gamut.

The system color gamut cannot be expanded outside native color gamut.

It may be desirable to change the system color gamut of the projector to:

- Color-match multiple projectors.
- Meet defined color standards, like REC 709.
- Create a special “look” to the image.

Before the system color gamut can be changed, the desired RealColor™ mode has to be defined. To change the RealColor™ mode please go the menu **PICTURE > REALCOLOR > DESIRED VALUES > DESIRED COORDS MODE**.

RealColor™ has to be enabled for the desired system gamut to be applied. Go to menu **PICTURE > REALCOLOR > COLOR CORRECTION** to enable RealColor™.

After RealColor™ is enabled and the desired color correction mode is selected, please go the menu entry **PICTURE > REALCOLOR > DESIRED VALUES** to change the color points to your desired system color gamut.

7.3 Gamma

The projector features a set of 6 built in gamma curves: **Film 2.2, Film 2.4, Film 2.6, Film 2.8, Video 1, Video 2, Computer 1, Computer 2, Dynamic** and **DICOM 180**. The different gamma curves are displayed below.

i The names of the curves are descriptive for their recommended use. Using any of the computer curves for video applications will result in significant image noise.

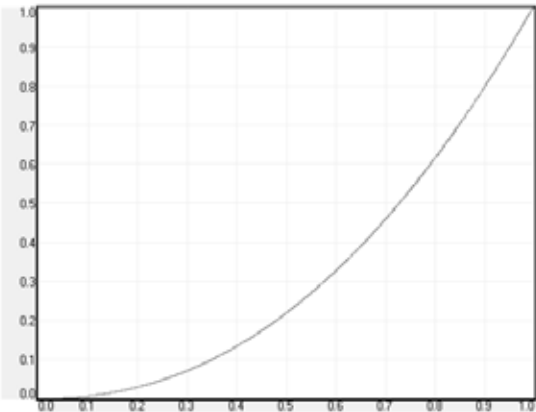


Figure 7-1. Film 2.2 gamma

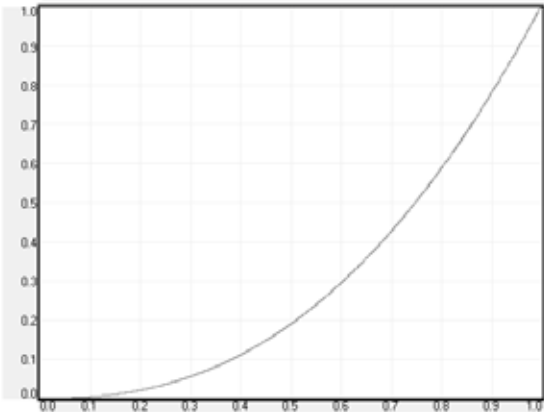


Figure 7-2. Film 2.4 gamma

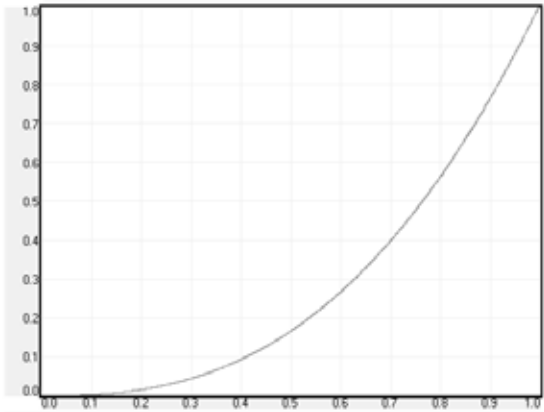


Figure 7-3. Film 2.6 gamma

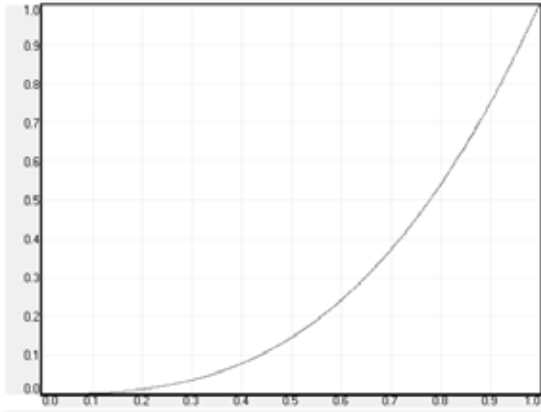


Figure 7-4. Film 2.8 gamma

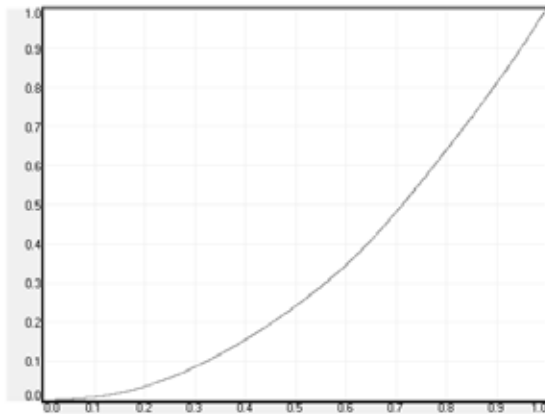


Figure 7-5. Video 1 gamma

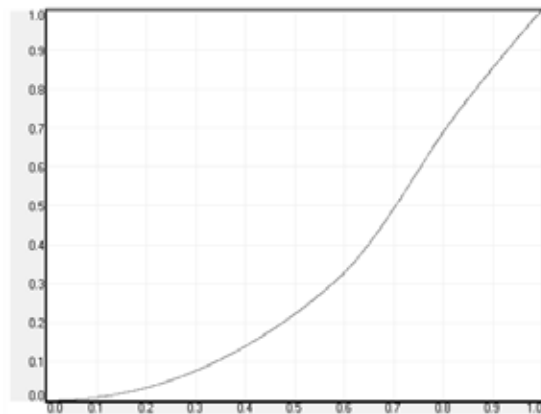


Figure 7-6. Video 2 gamma

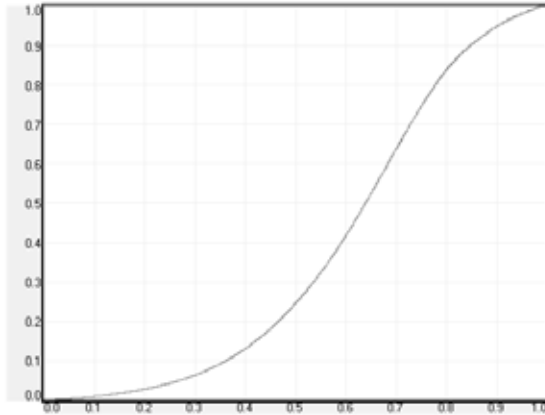


Figure 7-7. Computer 1 gamma

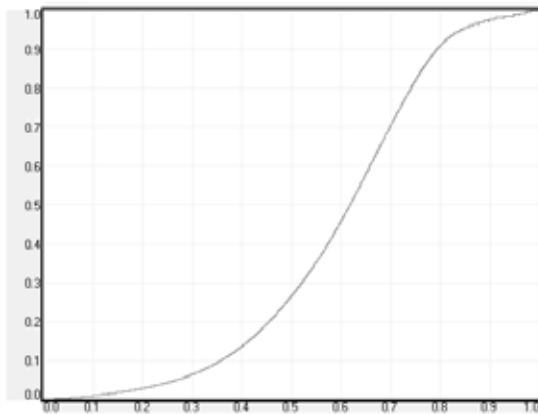


Figure 7-8. Computer 2 gamma

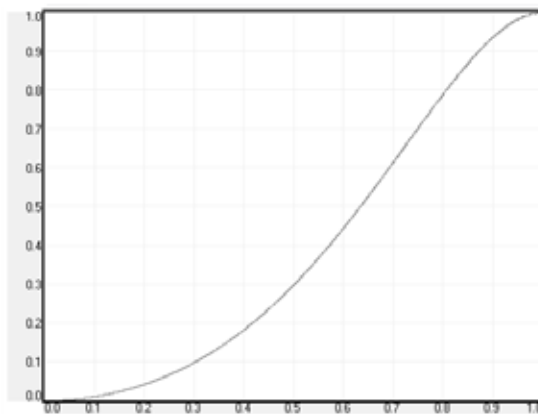


Figure 7-9. Dynamic gamma

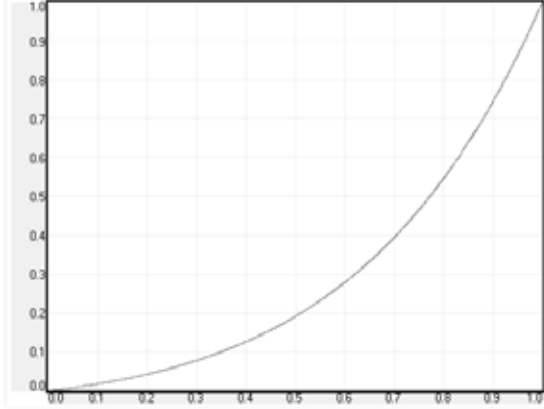


Figure 7-10. DICOM 180 Lux* (example HB color wheel: other shapes with other alternatives)

* Several DICOM settings (10, 60, 180, 250, 400 Lux - The higher Lux number (ambient light), the steeper the curve.

8 Technical specifications

Please see www.barco.com for more technical information.

9 Lamp change

The indicator on the keypad will turn RED when lamp life is expired. Change the lamp when lifetime expires. Always replace lamp with the same type and rating. **USE ORIGINAL LAMPS ONLY.**

The lamp holder employs an electronic lamp timer that is tracking the life time of the lamp. Always disconnect the power cord and wait until the projector has cooled down (60 minutes) before opening the lamp cover.



Be careful not to touch the protective glass when replacing the lamp, this may cause the protective glass to overheat and break while in use.



Be extremely careful when removing the lamp module. In the unlikely event that the bulb ruptures, small glass fragments may be generated. The lamp module is designed to contain these fragments, but use caution when removing the lamp module.

Remove the used lamp:

1. Unscrew the lamp door screw
2. Open the lamp door
3. Unscrew the three screws that hold the lamp in place
4. Pull the lamp out using the handle



Replace with a new lamp in reverse order:

1. Insert a new lamp. Observe the guide pins and make sure the lamp is fully inserted
2. Fasten the three screws securely
3. Close the lamp door
4. Tighten the lamp door screw firmly



In the unlikely event of a lamp rupture, a limited amount of mercury vapour may be emitted into the room. To avoid inhaling this mercury vapour (which is toxic, and can be harmful for lungs and nervous system) the room should be thoroughly ventilated for a period of at least 30 minutes. There are no known health hazards from exposure to lamps that are intact and which are used within an enclosed fixture. No adverse effects are expected from occasional exposure to broken lamps. As a matter of good practise, avoid prolonged or frequent exposure to lamps unless there is adequate ventilation. The major hazard from broken lamps is the possibility of sustaining glass cuts.

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